

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

for the

Southern District of West Virginia

United States of America

v.

MELANIE CLODFELTER

Case No.

2:22-mj-00069

Defendant(s)

CRIMINAL COMPLAINT

I, the complainant in this case, state that the following is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

On or about the date(s) of November 17, 2021 in the county of Nicholas in the
Southern District of West Virginia, the defendant(s) violated:

Code Section

18 U.S.C. § 922(d)(1)

Offense Description

Providing a firearm to a felon

This criminal complaint is based on these facts:

On November 17, 2021, Melanie Clodfelter purchased a Radical Firearms, model RF-15, multi-caliber rifle. Clodfelter bought the gun for Richie Holcomb. Holcomb was previously convicted in Webster County, West Virginia, of a felony, Unlawful Wounding, on July 30, 2014. Clodfelter was interviewed and admitted to buying the gun for Holcomb. She said that she knew of his previous conviction and that he was unable to buy the gun himself.

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Complainant's signature

Sean McNees, Special Agent ATF

Printed name and title

Sworn telephonically (reliable electronic means) by me.

Date: 06/06/2022City and state: Charleston, West Virginia


Omar J. Aboulhosn
 United States Magistrate Judge